

BRITISH ON NORWAY FRONT

Additional Names Listed By C. of C. Missed in Census

84 Persons Report
They Are Uncounted
in Enumeration

7,000 GOAL SOUGHT

Cooperation of Public
Is Urged by Civic
Organization

If you are not counted in this
census it is more your fault than it
is the census taker. You can at least
call the Chamber of Commerce and
report that you have been skipped and
that will guarantee that you are
counted.

Another thing you can do to help
is to answer the door when he calls,
take time to answer the questions and
cooperate to get a full count. The
census takers get very little per
name and want all the names possi-
ble.

He is more than willing to list
every person in Hope, but no human
can do that without full cooperation
of everyone interested in a fair
count.

There are more than 7,000 people
in Hope but the census reports for
the next ten years will not show
that many unless the citizens of Hope
give their full cooperation.

The following names of those not
yet counted were turned in Friday
morning:

B. L. Welborn, 512 East Third street,
with 3 in the family.
Charles Dana Gibson, 523 West
Division street, with 3 in the family.
James Cheatham, 1200 South Main
street, with two in the family.

Ed Perrell, 910 West Avenue B,
with 2 in the family.

Willard Jones, 1002 East Third street,
with 2 in the family.

Kenneth G. Hamilton, 615 West
Division street, with 3 in the family.

John Ridgill, 617 West Fifth street,
with 3 in the family.

J. M. Harbin, 614 East Second street,
with 3 in the family.

Chris Westerman, 600 West Third
street, with 2 in the family.

Hayes Munn, 821 South Elm street,
with 2 in the family.

R. L. McCain, 817 West Avenue B,
with 3 in the family.

L. C. Turner, 719 West Division
street, with 3 in the family.

Raymond F. Jones, 514 East Third
street, with 3 in the family.

Clyde Coffey, 520 West Third street,
with 4 in the family.

Hinton Davis, 523 West Third street,
with 4 in the family.

Cline Franks, 938 West Fifth street,
with 5 in the family.

W. Pink Taylor, 700 Washington
Frank Ward, 1100 Blk. West Eighth
street, with 2 in the family.

W. H. Thomason, 909 West Seventh
street, with 4 in the family.

Irvin Tate, 715 West Fifth street,
with 5 in the family.

John L. Wilson, 802 East Third street,
with 5 in the family.

J. A. Copeland, 615 West Fifth street,
with 4 in the family.

A. W. Stubbeman, 1023 East Third
street, with 4 in the family.

C. O. Thomas, 517 West Fourth
street, with 5 in the family.

E. P. Young, Jr. Is Ranking Hope Senior

Erwin Paul Young Jr., is the highest
ranking senior in Hope High School.
He has earned 477 service points, be-
sides making a grade average of 5.9
out of a possible 6 for four years.

He is president of the Student Coun-
cil, assistant editor of the Hi-Light;
president of the National Honor So-
ciety; member of the Quill and Scroll;
student manager for the football team
in his sophomore year he received
"The Fiftieth Boy" award, one of
the highest honors that comes to a
student in his school.

He plans to enter Hendrix College
next fall.

CRANUM CRACKERS

National Parks

You probably would have little
trouble telling where Glacier and
Yellowstone national parks are.
Can you tell in what states the
following national parks are locat-
ed?

1. Platt national park, known
for sulfur springs.

2. Lassen Volcanic national park,
one of few volcanoes in United
States, recently active.

3. Grand Teton national park,
includes spectacular mountain
range.

4. Carlsbad caverns, not yet ex-
plored in their entirety.

5. Zion national park, including
scenic canyon.

Answers on Page Two

Announces for County Judge



Fred A. Luck

Softball League to Open Tuesday

Six Teams Are Listed
in Two-Division
League

The City Softball League was or-
ganized Thursday night with rep-
resentatives from Bruner, City Bak-
ery, C. C. C. and Gunter.

Joe Jones was elected temporary
chairman and Mr. Mudgett elected
secretary.

The league was changed in that it
was divided into two classes called
"A" and "B".

The "A" League was made up of
Bruner, CCC and City Bakery, which
will consist of non-limited players
while the "B" league of Gunter, Amer-
ican Legion, and Houston Grocers,
was limited to five class "A" players.

It was voted that all league play-
ers must fill out amateur softball
cards which will be turned over to
Fred Robertson or Raymond Ur-
ban with 25c not later than Mon-
day noon.

These will be mailed to Earl Erian
and in return each player will be
given a card which will be used as his
pass to all league games this year.

These cards will also be used for
players in the state tournament. Each
manager will be supplied with cards
for his team and will be responsible
for the signing of each player.

A list of class players will be given
to each manager in the "B" league
and he may pick five players from
that list. The remaining ten will be
non-experienced players.

There will be no entrance fee and
no ticket fees this year except the
players card or players contract.

The season will open Tuesday night
at 7:00 o'clock with Bruner playing
City Bakery and the girls softball
team playing Ashdown.

Fred A. Luck Files for County Judge of Hempstead Co.

Has Wide Experience
in Local Road-
Building

14 YEARS IN HOPE

Born on Farm, Saw
Service in the World
War

Fred A. Luck of Hope announced
Friday in The Star's political an-
nouncement column as a candidate
for county judge of Hempstead county
subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic primary election August 13.

Mr. Luck's statement follows:

To the Democratic voters of Hemp-
stead county:

I, at this time, desire to make my
formal announcement to the Demo-
cratic voters of Hempstead county as
a candidate for County Judge of
Hempstead County; I have reached
this decision in response to a number
of requests from the leading citizens
of the county, and after having made
a preliminary survey of the entire
county.

I am 43 years of age, spent most of
my early life on a farm, obtained my
scholastic training in the common
schools, and high schools of the county.
I have lived in the city of Hope for the
past 14 years, and have tried as best as
I could to share with the good citizens
of Hempstead county in carrying my
part of the responsibilities, incident
to good citizenship. Once before I
asked you for a public office, that of
road overseer of De Ross Township,
at which time the voters honored me
with an overwhelming majority, and
it was my pleasure to serve in this
capacity until the expiration of the
term.

I have tried to be one of you, here in
the county. I am a member of the
First Baptist Church of Hope, my only
child, a son, J. T. Luck, Jr., recently
a graduate of Hope High School, is
now in Hendrix College, and use-
less to say, I am vitally interested in
the churches and schools of Hempstead
county.

World War Veteran

It was my pleasure to serve through-
out the duration of the World War, in
the United States Army, having served
ten months overseas as an officer in
the 388th Central Postal Directory, with
the 88th Central Postal Directory, which
has been invaluable to me.

For the past 16 years, I have been
actively engaged, most of the time, in
the construction and maintenance of
every type of road and bridge work,
familiar to this section of the State. I
have done almost all kinds of work,
contract & force account, and have
helped to build nearly every gravelled
highway in Hempstead county. I
helped to finish the highway work on
U. S. Highway 67, between Hope and
Prescott, and in addition thereto,
have done much work on the highways
in Louisiana, did a large percent of the
work.

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Grab in Dutch Indies Feared as Japan Approaches Naval Parity With America

Impending Threat in Pacific May Build Guam Base

Senate Group Again Calls for Guam Sea- Air Base

NAVY DEMANDS IT Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, Too Far From the Orient

By BRUCE CATTON

NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON — Holland's danger
of getting drawn into the war may
have somewhat roundabout effect of
giving the U. S. Navy its long-sought
harbor improvements on the island
of Guam.

It figures out like this:

If Holland is invaded, her rich East
Indies empire is left up in the air.
A British or U. S. protectorate has
been suggested. Japan wouldn't like
that and probably would move to set
up a protectorate of her own. Nei-
ther the U. S. nor Britain would like
that, in turn, and out of it all there
might easily develop a lot of trouble.

And Guam is a lot closer to the
Netherlands East Indies than any ad-
equate naval base the U. S. now
owns.

Base Could Be Quickly Built

The navy has been asking for har-
bor, improvements on Guam for over
a year. Last winter Congress voted
the idea down, fearing Japan would
look on it as a threat. The same
idea was put in the navy bill this
year but the House again voted it down,
but the Senate is putting it back and
this time it may stick.

On the face of it, the measure is
simple enough. All that's asked is
enough money to dredge the knobs of
coral out of the otherwise fine har-
bor so that planes could land there
safely. But in the back of the navy's
mind is the idea that the navy's
soon be wanting a regular naval base
there very badly. Starting from scratch
such a base could be built in less
time than it takes to build a battle-
ship. If there's going to be the trouble
in the East Indies, the navy figures
it'd be a lot more useful.

U. S. Main Fleet Might Be
Needed

Combined naval forces of Holland,
Britain, France and the U. S., stan-
dard in far eastern waters aren't
very formidable, even though the
French and Dutch are understood
to have increased their strength there
of late. Consensus is they could de-
lay a Japanese descent on the East
Indies or Malaya but couldn't
hope to stop it. That'd take the main
U. S. fleet.

Nearest U. S. base is Cavite, in the
Philippines, but it's inadequate. It
has an old drydock which could
accommodate light cruisers and is
equipped to do limited repairs, but
for a full-dress scrap it just wouldn't
do. That leaves Pearl Harbor, which
is too far away.

East Indies Provide Raw
Materials

Trade figures show why the U. S.
government is concerned about any
threat to the East Indies.

Three of the 17 commodities listed
as "strategic raw materials"—tin, rub-
ber and quinine—come mostly from
the East Indies and Malaya. In 1937,
last year for which figures are avail-
able, the U. S. bought from those
two areas \$1,500,000 worth of tin,
\$135,000,000 worth of rubber and—
though the dollar figure isn't im-
pressive—most of its quinine.

If Japan got those two areas she
could either cut off U. S. supplies
or by continuing their sale make the
U. S. help finance her war with China.

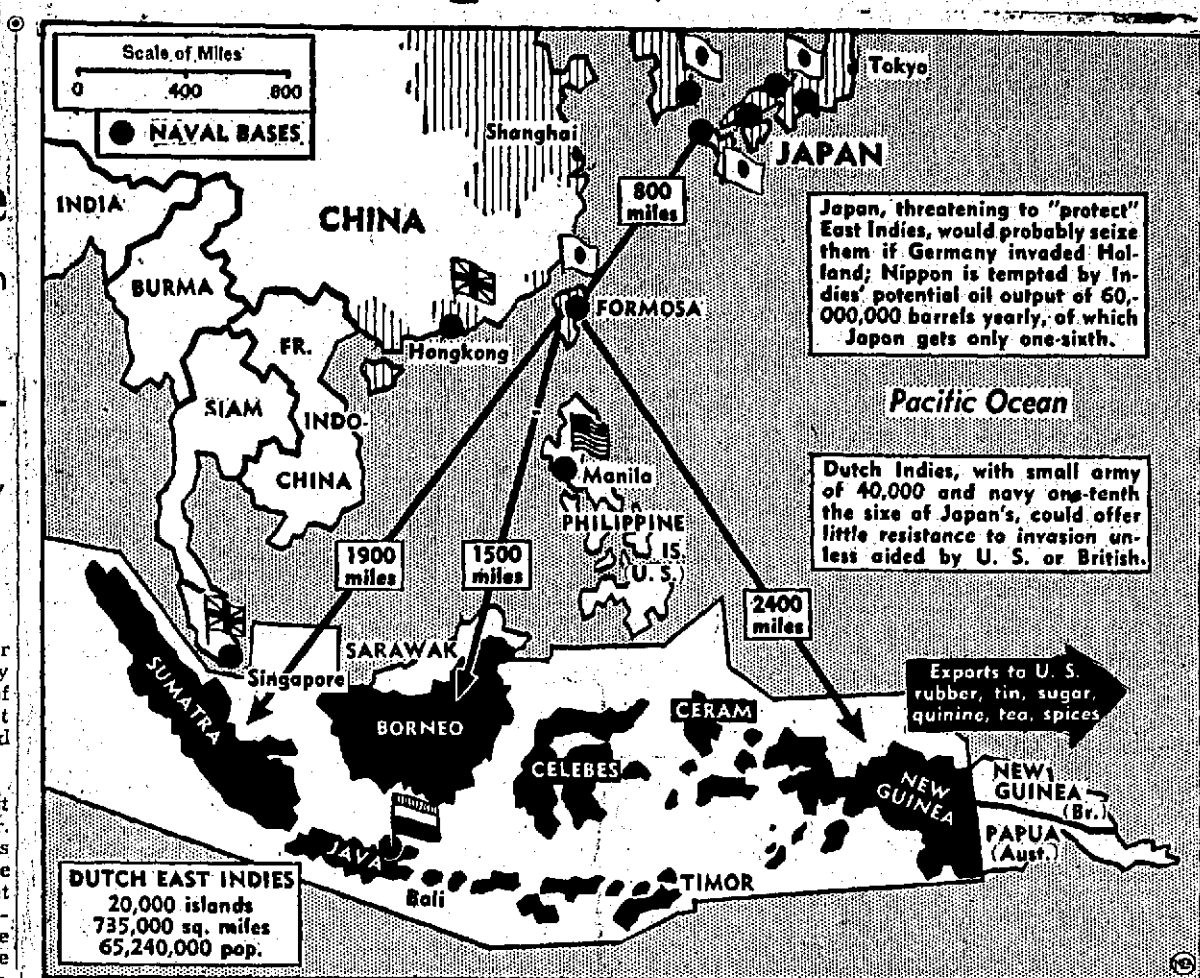
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Sixth District Official
to Seek Re-elec-
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UNITED STATES	JAPAN
23 BATTLESHIPS	18 BATTLESHIPS
764,300 tons	604,000 tons
43 CRUISERS	45 CRUISERS
368,975 tons	329,685 tons
7 AIRCRAFT CARRIERS	13 AIRCRAFT CARRIERS
154,600 tons	171,520 tons
265 DESTROYERS	120 DESTROYERS
347,870 tons	156,648 tons
114 SUBMARINES	62 SUBMARINES
118,425 tons	82,863 tons
452 ships	258 ships
1,754,170 tons	1,344,716 tons

Figures for both countries include all vessels built, building or appropriated for to 1940.

Japanese battleship figure includes four 40,000-ton warships reported under construction.

Reported secret shipbuilding activity in Japan's navy is bringing her warship tonnage close to that of the United States. Chart shows how the two navies compare in various tonnage classes, indicating that Japan has far exceeded the 5-3 ratio of the now defunct Washington naval agreement of 1922.

Miller Will Not Resign His Post

Not Seeking Federal
Judgeship, He Ad-
vises Friends

LITTLE ROCK—(AP)—Senator John
E. Miller advised the Arkansas Demo-
crat from Washington Thursday that
he had not considered resigning his
senate post to accept a possible ap-
pointment to the federal bench.

The Democrat said "entirely un-
confirmed" reports were circulating
here that, if either Federal Judge
Hearstall Ragon of Fort Smith or
Federal Judge T. C. Trimble of Little
Rock was elevated to the eighth circuit
court of appeals, Miller might be
named to fill the district vacancy.

A bill passed by congress this week
created two new posts on the eighth
circuit bench and both Trimble and
Ragon have been mentioned as possi-
ble appointees.

"I am trying to do the best job with-
in my power in the United States sen-
ate and intend to remain here so long
as my services meet with the approval
of the people of Arkansas," Miller told
the Democrat after he had been ques-
tioned about the report.

The women of Magnolia take pride in
their permanent mud hats.

Hull Declares He Is Not Candidate

Secretary of State
Takes Self Out of
Campaign

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Secretary
Hull, whose name often figured in
speculation over possible Democratic
presidential nominees, said Friday he
is not a candidate for anything.

The secretary made this statement
at his press conference under rules
which forbid his being quoted di-
rectly, but he told reporters em-
phatically he had no political aspira-
tions.

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Patmos Finishes Graduation Plans

Dean Graham, Mag-
nolia, Speaker—Sil-
vey, Baccalaureate

Patmos High School's graduation
exercises will start Sunday, April 21,
at 3 p. m., with the Rev. D. C. Silvey
delivering the baccalaureate sermon.

The commencement address will be
delivered by E. E. Graham, dean of
men at Magnolia A. & M. college, at
8 o'clock Wednesday night, April 24.

This year's graduating class has 11
members, five boys and six girls, ac-
cording to E. A. Jameson, superin-
tendent.

Many Doctors to
Aid Cripples Here

Children's Clinic at
Baptist Church
April 25

The Crippled Children's Division of
the State Department of Public Wel-
fare will hold a diagnostic and check-
up clinic all day on Thursday, April
25 in the annex of the Baptist Church
building at Hope, State Welfare Com-
missioner John R. Thompson has an-
nounced.

The clinic will serve patients from
Hempstead, Howard, Lafayette, Pike
and Sevier counties. Check-ups will
be made on patients from Ouachita,
Miller and Little River counties. Com-
missioner Thompson said.

County medical societies, county
health units and interested clubs and
individuals are cooperating for this
clinic, it was said. In attendance will
be Dr. Ellery C. Gay of Little Rock,
medical supervisor of the Division;
John G. Dudley of Little Rock, busi-
ness administrator of the Division;
Dr. Joseph Shuffield, Dr. F. Walter
Carruthers, and Dr. Vernon New-
man, orthopaedic surgeons, and Dr.
Sam Phillips, pediatrician, all of Little
Rock; Dr. N. T. Hollis, psychiatrist,
of Little Rock. Mr. A. S. Ross, voca-
tional supervisor of the State Depart-
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to attend.

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Official Reports of First Conflict With Nazi Troops

Germany Flying
Troops to Norway—
60,000 There

DUTCH IN CRISIS

Martial Law for Hol-
land—Soviet, British
to Trade

HAGUE—(AP)—Martial law was
proclaimed throughout the Nether-
lands by royal decree Friday night.

British, Germans Clash

LONDON—(AP)—Allied maneuvers,
including the first reported engage-
ment of British and German land
forces in Norway, pointed Friday to-
ward a head-on clash of Europe's
belligerents on the Scandinavian bat-
leground.

The British news agency, Reuters,
reported the first encounter occur-
red at Namsos, on the Atlantic coast.

British-Russian Pact?

LONDON—(AP)—Soviet Russian
spokesmen in London Friday pre-
dicted that Great Britain and Rus-
sia soon would conclude their long-
discussed trade agreement, which
was side-tracked by the Russian-
Finnish war.

They said it was believed Rus-
sia's differences with Britain over
the blockade could be compromised
and general relations improved
barring some unforeseen develop-
ment.

100 miles north of the key city of
Trondheim.

Disasters reaching Stockholm and
the German forces had been repul-
sed; Swedish frontier reports said
Namsos was the point picked by the
British for the latest troop landings
while the Norwegians concentrated at
Sleiskjer, 30 miles nearer Trond-
heim.

German Fly Troops

LONDON—(AP)—Germany is fly-
ing about 2,000 troops a day to Nor-
way, it was estimated Friday by a
Norwegian government official new-
ly arrived in London.

Scandinavian observers placed the
number of German soldiers now in
Norway at 60,000.

German Advance

BERLIN—(AP)—Steady advances in
Norway by constantly reinforced Ger-
man troops, and new blows against
the British navy, were reported to
the nation Friday on the eve of its
celebration of Adolf Hitler's 51st
birthday.

At Sea—Three Allied submarines

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Political Announcements
The Star is authorized to announce the following as candidates subject to the action of the Hempstead County Democratic primary election, Tuesday August 13th:
For County Treasurer
NEW T. PENTECOST
For Circuit Clerk
Cecil Weaver
For Representative
TALBOT FIELD, JR.
For County Judge
FRED A. LUCK

ALL ABOUT BABIES
By RICHARD ARTHUR BOLT, M. D., Dr. P. H. Secretary, Maternal and Child Health Section of American Public Health Association
Can We Save Premature Babies?
A great deal has been accomplished in reducing the number of deaths of babies under one year of age, but this has been done largely after the first perilous month of life. Deaths in the first month still remain unduly high.
If we are to make further progress in the reduction of infant mortality we must attack the causes which lie back of the earlier deaths. This is largely a matter of good prenatal and obstetric care.
The leading cause of death in the first year is prematurity. Premature infants are considered those whose birth weight is five pounds or less. These babies require special care on account of the following deficiencies:
They have weak digestive systems and cannot take the normal feedings of full-term babies.
They are very susceptible to changes in temperature, especially to exposure to cold.
They are particularly susceptible to infections and having little resistance, often succumb.
They are liable to have trouble with their breathing.
The general bodily weakness of premature babies may turn the tide so that special measures must be employed to save them. Fortunately we have at our disposal means to overcome a number of the unfavorable conditions.
In the first place we must protect them from cold immediately after birth and keep them at an even temperature by thorough wrappings with suitable blankets and pillows. If an incubator is available, the baby should be placed in it at once and watched carefully day and night. It is not necessary to have a complicated incubator. Many premature babies have been saved in simply constructed ones.
Skilled medical and nursing care are most essential. Nurses trained in the details of caring for premature babies should be employed.
How can we tell that premature babies are doing nicely?
When they take their feedings well without vomiting.
When they sleep between feedings.
When body temperature taken by rectum remains between 98 and 99 degrees Fahrenheit.
Reference table which they are unable to bring to bear on the fighting front. Even if such a conference failed it is hard to see how any participation could lose anything. And all might gain by some settlement that would stabilize for some years the turbulent Far East.

Meanwhile, in the Far East —

Events in Europe have been moving with a suddenness giving them the unreal aspect of a dream. The United States, and the whole world, feel a sort of mental shell-shock, the dominant war suddenly shakes itself to life.
Our eyes are fixed on Scandinavia, the land of a bird fascinated by a serpent. But now is the time to see the world whole, to remember that even in the face of Europe's tragedy, the rest of the world goes on.
In the Far East is another war. This summer its third year will come to an end.
There are signs that the Japanese are tiring of the long struggle. They have piled success on success, but there is no victory. The Chinese have suffered reverse after reverse, but there is no defeat.
It begins to look as though neither side can win conclusively, that nothing is ahead but years of a sterile and mutually exhausting struggle. The Japanese ought to be pretty well convinced by now that they can never conquer and hold all of China. The possibility of China completely cutting Japan from the Asiatic mainland is almost equally remote.
Britain, up to the hilt in Europe, is in no position to defend her interests in China. Neither is France. The United States, perhaps able, is certainly unwilling. Only Russia is really in a position to help China directly and materially on a large scale, and Russia's motives are certainly suspect. If there cannot be a Chinese China, why is a Russian China preferable to a Japanese China? East Poland and Finland offer their testimony.
Assume complete victory for one side or the other in the Chinese war. Based on experience, does it seem likely that any justice will emerge from a peace dictated either by Japan or by a Russian-supported China? Might not a peace conference in which all powers with pacific interests look part, including Japan, China, Britain, the Netherlands, France, Russia and the United States arrive at a more just peace today than one which followed a finish fight?
An Eastern Munich? Not at all. No one who thinks China has a chance to win can contend that she would come to such a conference as Czechoslovakia came, a helpless pawn. Having achieved a virtual stand off in the year-year war, China to any terms imposed on her with her military position and prospects. It is even possible that the "third powers" could exert pressure on Japan around a con-

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For Sale
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For Rent
WHEEL CHAIR, PHONE 212 18-3tp
BED ROOM, SOUTHERN EXPOSURE Close in Phone 318-w. 18-3tp
Wanted to Buy
WILL PAY TOP PRICES for CATTLE, located at E. M. McWilliams Seed Store, Hope, Ark. Gladly Williams. 4-26-1c

PURE STONEVILLE 2B COTTON
Seed, raised on Red River Bottoms. This cotton produced bale to acre. These seed have been re-cleaned. These seed have been re-cleaned. \$1.00 per bushel delivered to Hope. Alston Foster, Lewisville, Ark. M20-26tc
PASTEURIZED (SAFE) MILK AT your grocers or call 938. W. M. Breed. Hope Creamery & Dairy Co. 5-26tc
BIG STOCK NEW AND USED FURNITURE. Priced exceptionally low. See us before you buy or sell. Franklin Furniture Store, South Elm Street. M2-1m
40 ACRES ADJOINING CITY LIMITS. \$10 acre. Fenced. About 20 acres cleared. Good pasture. Owner, R. W. Huie, Arkadelphia, Arkansas. A17-26tp

HIGH QUALITY U. S. APPROVED and pollorum tested baby chicks. Hatch each Tuesday. See and know what you buy. Mrs. Fred Gordon, Mgr. Roe's Hatchery, Prescott, Ark. M5-1w

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Plans and Specifications may be obtained from Charles O. Thomas, Supt. of the Water and Light Plant upon the payment of \$2.00 which will be refunded to unsuccessful bidders upon the return of the Plans and Specifications in good condition.
The Board of Public Affairs of the City of Hope, Ark. reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive irregularities and to accept the bid which in their judgement, is to the best interests of the Hope Water and Light Plant.
W. S. Atkins, Mayor
Lloyd Spencer, Sec'y.
Chas. E. Taylor.
April 18-19-23-28

During the middle ages a choir boy was frequently elected "Boy Bishop" on St. Nicholas Day, December 6.
SWAP! Through the WANT-ADS

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SEE HEMPSTEAD COUNTY MAT-ress Shop, 712 West Fourth street, for new and rebuilt mattresses. Phone Paul Cobb, 658-J. M1-26tc
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A number of changes have been made in our neighborhood within the past few months. To those who have moved away, we wish them good luck in their new homes and to the new comers in our midst, we extend a hearty welcome.
O. J. Phillips and family have moved to Spring Hill where Mr. Phillips and son Harry are one of the progressive merchants of that thriving little village.
Leslie Purdie is our new merchant in Shover Springs. We are glad to have the fine family as one of our neighbors.
Mrs. J. B. Beckworth enjoyed a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Tekas in Dallas, recently.
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McWilliams and J. W. McWilliams moved to Magnolia Sunday and were guests of Gayland McWilliams and family.
Miss Mildred Lasater spent last week with O. J. Phillips' family of Spring Hill.
The Dixie Girls quartet attended the singing at Bodew Sunday night.

Answer to Cranium Cracker
Questions on Page One
1. Platt national park: southern Oklahoma.
2. Lassen Volcanic national park: northern California.
3. Grand Teton national park: northwestern Wyoming.
4. Carlsbad caverns: southeastern New Mexico.
5. Zion national park: southwestern Utah.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with . . Major Hoople
HERE'S A TELEGRAM FROM YOUR FATHER, LEANDER! HE SAYS, "JUST BACK FROM PANAMA — PLEASE SEND LEANDER HOME — HOPE BOY NO TROUBLE — THOUSAND THANKS" — WELL!
BOY, WHEN DO I START? WILL I BE GLAD TO DUCK OUTA THIS WOOLY DUMP WHILE I STILL GOT MY RIGHT MIND!
DAD HOPES LEANDER WAS NO TROUBLE! I HOPE THE NEXT HURRICANE WE HAVE DOESN'T BLOW THE NEWS-PAPER OFF THE PORCH!
THAT THOUSAND THANKS IS JUST LIKE GIVING A GUY AN OLD STRAW HAT FOR FINDING A WAY TO PREVENT EARTHQUAKES!
WHAT! GOING SO SOON, LEANDER?
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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Now What?
OH, I HATE HIM — THE SMUG, EGOTISTICAL BULLY!
I WONDER WHAT SURPRISE HE WAS TALKING ABOUT? GEE, I'LL CERTAINLY HAVE TO WATCH MY STEP!
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ALLEY OOP

Don't Be So Sure, Girls
WHAT'LL WE DO WITH HIM? HE'S A PRISONER, LIKE ONE OF THE AMAZONS!
YES, BUT HE REFUSES TO ACT AS ONE OF THEM!
THAT'S AW, HE'S DON'T JUST SEEM TO A SLAP-HAPPY BUM!
WELL, FER!! SAY HOWN HECK DYA WOULDN'T GET ANY WAY?
IN AN EFFORT TO GET "THE DOPE" ON THE AMAZONS, ALLEY OOP HAS BOLDLY CONTACTED ONE OF THE WARRIOR-WOMEN'S OUTPOSTS
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WASH TUBBS

Careless Rodérgo
WHAT A MESS I'VE MADE, FREDDIE! THE DUKE'S KIDNAPED MARGOT LETORE AND ESCAPED IN HER CAR. IF HE'S ARRESTED BEFORE I CAN FIND AND FREE HER, THE LETORES ARE RUINED
WOULD IT HELP YOU FIND HER IF YOU KNEW THE WHEREABOUTS OF RODÉRGIO?
GREAT SCOTT, YES!!
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

A Storm Comes Up
IT'S BEGINNING TO RAIN! YOU KIDS BETTER GET STARTED BACK!
LET'S FLIP A COIN TO SEE WHO RIDES UP FRONT WITH FRECKLES!
THAT'S FAIR ENOUGH! I'LL TAKE HEADS!
I'M GLAD I'M RIDING UP FRONT!
I'LL GET WET IF I SIT IN THE RUMBLE!
YOU AND LARRY CAN PUT A TARPALIN OVER YOU!
THIS ISN'T FAIR! I'M AFRAID OF THUNDER!
AW, FOR GOSH SAKES — DON'T BE SUCH A DIZZY SWEEN!
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RED RYDER

Little Beaver is Particular
WHEEZY, I'M DOWNRIGHT SORRY YOU LOST YOUR JOB TO THAT NEW MARSHAL!
DON'T FEEL SORRY FER ME, RED — I'LL BE PLENTY BUSY HAZING MY COWS ON TH' CATTLE DRIVE!
ME NO LIKE UM NEW MARSHAL!
HA-HA! NOW I'M THE MARSHAL HERE, AND THIS REWARD SAYS I GOT TO ARREST THREEFINGER, THE OUTLAW ROSCOE! HEARS OF THIS? GOSH — I'VE GOT TO MEET HER STAGE NOW!
SAY, LITTLE BEAVER, OUR NEW BOSS HAS A GIRL FRIEND!
IF SHE FRIEND OF NEW MARSHAL, THEN HE NO LIKE UM HER EITHER!
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JUMPIN' JIMINY CRICKETS
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LOOK AT HIM...POOH! HE'S JUST A HARMLESS SIMPLETON! HE WANTS US TO THINK...BUT HE'S JUST TOO DUMB TO BE REALLY CONVINCING!
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By Roy Crane

THERE HE IS, CAP. BUT YOU CAN'T TRAIL A GUY IN A BOAT THE BLATES YOU CAN'T, WHERE'S THE AIRPORT? I'LL RENT A PLANE
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IF SHE FRIEND OF NEW MARSHAL, THEN HE NO LIKE UM HER EITHER!
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By Fred Harman

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CHARMING ACTRESS

HORIZONTAL
1, 8 Pictured actress.
12 Farewell.
13 To decline to prosecute.
15 To assist.
16 Tread.
18 Bagmen.
20 Ancient.
21 Wool fiber knots.
23 Sloth.
24 Railway (abbr.).
25 To swagger.
27 Observed.
28 Breakfast food.
30 More fastidious.
32 Afternoon (abbr.).
33 Before.
34 Stepped upon.
35 100 square meters.
36 Auto.
37 Over.
38 Bodies revolving around sun.
42 Pronoun.
Answer to Previous Puzzle
CLAM ALTORES
AURA LIME
NETS LAIC
D. SINCE
DEEDS TWICE
INVENT ASCOT
ARE TAP CAR OVA
TORSER PLANER
E. APAR KEENEY
REBS. OBI. SIPS
BALL STINT MOOR
CHIEF ASSOCIATE
17 To bury.
19 She is a — of comic songs (pl.).
22 Flower part.
25 Ovoid.
26 To reverberate.
27 To tally.
29 Fourth of a carat (pl.).
31 Goddess of peace.
32 Perambulator.
33 College graduates.
38 Heaped.
39 And.
40 Weighing machine.
41 Spore clusters.
44 To wander.
46 Pearls.
47 Mythical bird.
51 Plural pronoun.
52 Mystic syllable.
53 Compass point (abbr.).
54 Form of "a."
55 Preposition of place.
VERTICAL
2 Betimes.
43 Oleander.
45 Nonpasserine bird.
47 Of the thing.
48 Salamander.
49 Gold quartz.
50 Therefore.
52 Kilns.
54 Life.
56 She is a — or humorous actress.
57 She is a popular stage —.
58 Revolving around sun.
62 Pronoun.


SOCIETY

Mrs. Sid Henry

Telephone 321

Flower Show

The finest flower show of all is one which holds from spring to fall. It's run for love, without a fee, for every passer-by to see. It shows what pretty things will bloom in common soil, in little room. And what the will to learn and do. All summer long can bring to view. Some neighbor, whether young or old.

Will make a show of marigold or set a morning glory vine. Precisely where the sun will shine. And many a stranger, passing by. This open flower show will say. And now to do the self same thing. Henceforth with each returning spring. Beholding beauty thus displayed. In neighborhoods are gardeners made. And one brave, little flower show. Sets many a hand to spade and hoe. —E. A. G.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Richards announce the marriage of their niece, Nancy Cox to George Ter of Texarkana, the ceremony took place on July 5th, 1939 in Texarkana. The couple will reside at 308, East 8th street in Little Rock where Mr. Ter is connected with the Soil Conservation Service.

The Jett B. Graves Class of the First Methodist S. S. held its regular business and social meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Kenneth L. Spore. Following the regular routine of business a social hour was enjoyed, at which time, games and contests featured the entertainment, with prizes going to Mrs. Basil Edwards, Miss Mary Arnold and

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SAENGER SAT.

Kids! Here's Your Show! "LITTLE ORVIE" — and — Bill Elliott 'Taming of the West'

SAENGER NOW

"MY LITTLE CHICKADEE" Sunday — Monday Rialto Sat, nite 11:15

9 MEN OF VIOLENCE! A LADY of the TROPICS! In a heart-rousing adventure of sinners at sea!

Clark GABLE and Joan CRAWFORD in "STRANGE CARGO" with IAN HUNTER, PETER LORRE, PAUL LUKAS, ALBERT DEKKER, J. Edward BROMBERG, and EDUARDO CIANNELLI

Sunday Schedule Features at: 2; 4:33; 6:56; 9:19

Mrs. Hollis Luck. A tempting salad course was served with ten.

The following from the Friday issue of the Arkansas Gazette will be of interest to the many friends of Erwin Paul Young, Jr. Erwin Paul Young Jr. is the highest ranking senior in Hope high school. He has earned 477 service points, besides making a grade average of 89 out of a possible 6 for four years. He is president of the Student Council, assistant editor of the High-Lights, president of the National Society, member of the Quil and Soroll student manager of the foot ball team. In his sophomore year he received "The Fiftieth Boy" award, one of the highest honors that comes to a student in high school. He plans to enter Hendrix College next fall, and the writer of this column would like to add, he is another "Main Street Boy."

Mrs. Mittle McCommon of Fort Worth, Texas is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. E. F. McFaddin and Mr. McFaddin.

BOWLING

Bowling Results for Wednesday April 17 1940

American Legion			
Guthrie	105	58	163
Vesey	142	100	242
Conway	85	122	207
Hollis	104	70	174
Middlebrooks	101	128	229
Hendrix	136	97	233
Franklin	91	96	187
Total			1822

S. C. S.			
Boyd	79	78	157
Page	59	78	137
Pritchett	159	116	275
Gordon	108	159	267
Henderson	51	109	160
Johnson	138	159	297
Total			1223

Hempstead County Lbr. Co.			
Shackelford	180	88	268
Joe Wray	79	85	164
Osburn	82	204	286
B. Wray	74	106	180
Moore	89	122	211
Total			1037

City Bakery			
Evans	196	89	285
Oglosby	136	115	251
Douglas	112	131	243
Adkins	158	119	277
Zinn	119	100	219
Jones	111	166	277
Total			1462

Bowling Results for Thursday April 18			
Standard Oil			
Miller	158	158	316
Spours	175		175
Bowen	168	104	272
Cannon	93	91	184
J. Frisby	109	113	222
Tarpley	135	78	213
Total			1830

Hope Basket Co.			
Andrew	107	130	237
West	56	82	138
Bowden	91	93	184
Crutchfield	105	75	180
Johnson	129	67	196
Pedron	68	71	139
Total			1576

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THE STANDINGS

Southern Association

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Nashville	0	0	1.000
Memphis	3	1	.750
Little Rock	3	2	.600
New Orleans	2	3	.400
Atlanta	2	3	.400
Chattanooga	2	3	.400
Knoxville	1	3	.250
Birmingham	1	3	.250

Thursday's Results

All games postponed.

Games Friday Little Rock at Memphis. Knoxville at Chattanooga. Birmingham at New Orleans. Atlanta at Nashville.

National League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	2	0	1.000
Philadelphia	2	0	1.000
Brooklyn	1	0	1.000
Pittsburgh	1	0	1.000
New York	0	1	.000
Boston	0	1	.000
St. Louis	0	1	.000
Chicago	0	2	.000

Thursday's Results

Cincinnati 2, Chicago 1. Other games postponed.

Games Friday

Boston at Philadelphia. Cincinnati at Pittsburgh. New York at Brooklyn. St. Louis at Chicago.

American League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	2	0	1.000
Philadelphia	1	1	.500
New York	1	1	.500
St. Louis	1	1	.500
Detroit	0	1	.000
Chicago	0	1	.000
Washington	0	2	.000

Thursday's Results

Boston 7, Washington 0. Detroit 4, St. Louis 2. Other games postponed.

Games Friday

Washington at New York. Chicago at St. Louis. Philadelphia at Boston (2). Detroit at Cleveland.

Kid McCoy of the Boxing Ring Dead

Life Story Amazing, Was Hobo and a Millionaire

DETROIT, Mich. —(AP)—Norman Selby, 65, the Kid McCoy of the boxing ring, whose amazing life story would have been labeled fantastic fiction if it had been woven into a novel, died Thursday in a hotel room from either an overdose of sleeping medicine or poison.

Hobo and millionaire sportsman; dishwasher and social lion; champion of the world's middleweight title and convict; owner of an exclusive New York jewelry store and bankrupt; movie actor and saloon porter; auto racer and confidante of Maurice Watterline, the poet and mystic; hero of a short story classic by Richard Harding Davis and demonstrator of a new fangled health suspender—these descriptions all fitted the Kid, who was married nine times, three times to the same woman.

Leaves Several Notes

One note left by McCoy said: "I can no longer endure this world's madness." Another said, "To all my friends I wish the best of luck."

Another message gave an inkling that the Kid wanted to do good in his later years but had found his intentions wasted on a world much changed from the days of 1891 to 1931 when he was boxing's best known figure.

"For the past eight years I have wanted to help humanity," he had wrote, "especially the youngsters, who do not know nature's laws, to help teach them the proper carriage of the body, the right way to eat, etc."

As a boxer McCoy boasted a devastating punch but a good many of his victories were scored by his cunning. The stories of how he outwitted his foes are legion and a good many of them do not picture the kid in the most favorable light. In later life McCoy claimed many of these tales

SERIAL STORY

K. O. CAVALIER

BY JERRY BRONDFIELD

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THURSDAY: The mining man, Pop decided to do some road work and Val insisted on driving along with him. She made their pace too slow, even on ahead. A fire gone out, Val waits for Eddie to change it, and he answers when he leaves her sitting beside the road.

CHAPTER XX

VAL gasped as they continued on their way. Then rage swept over her and she stamped her foot helplessly.

"You—you wretch!" she cried, but they didn't even turn around. Val watched them until they were out of sight around a curve and then set down on the running board. She wondered if she could change the tire herself. She got out the jack, jiggered with it experimentally and then decided she couldn't do it. All she could do was sit there until someone came along. And that might not be for quite a while.

She remembered there had been a farmhouse a couple of miles back. Maybe she could get help there. Val started out.

POP GRIMES was grinning widely. "She'll be raving a blue streak. What made you do that, anyhow?"

"Sudden impulse, I guess. And anyway, I've owed her one like that."

Eddie chuckled. "Did you get the look on her face when we left her standing there?"

Val was still a good quarter of a mile from the farmhouse when it started to rain. Just a few drops at first, and she looked up into the sky. The sun was completely gone. She quickened her pace, but two minutes later the clouds really opened up.

By the time she reached the house she was drenched. A kindly, gray-haired woman let her in and explained her predicament. It was an hour later before the woman's son, a pleasant 16-year-old lad, back with Val.

Her hair was still soggy, her shoes heavy with damp mud. Altogether she felt so miserable she could have cried.

She gave the farm lad a dollar when he had changed the tire and she started back to Prince Rupert.

Val returned the car to the garage, made a couple of purchases at a drug store and took a cab back to the Northern Hotel. It was a bedraggled and steaming Val Douglas who marched up the gangplank.

Steve Hansen noticed her and followed her to her cabin. "What happened, Skipper—bump into a title rain?"

She was giggling when he admitted he had distracted opponents by telling them their shoe laces were untied and by other ruses.

Worked for Ford

McCoy spent his last years in Detroit as a Ford Motor Company guard, chaining the job when he was paroled from San Quentin prison where he served a term for homicide in connection with the death of Mrs. Theresa Mors of Los Angeles. He always denied his guilt, saying the woman killed herself in his presence.

Val claimed the world middleweight title in 1896 after defeating Tommy Ryan, the champion. During his career he won 75 bouts, lost six, including knockouts by Jim Corbett and Tom Sharkey, drew nine times and engaged in 13 no-decision fights. During the World war and in 1922 he boxed in several exhibitions. He was generally credited with inventing the corkerew punch.

"The real McCoy," an expression indicating genuineness, has been attributed to the Kid. While the Kid was in New York another boxer used the same Kid McCoy ring name in San Francisco, fought by a group of ring enthusiasts as "the real McCoy."

He was born in Moscow, Ind. The widow, Sue, survives him, he directed that all his possessions be left to her.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Micah's Vision of Peace May Sum Up Come True Text: Micah 4:1-5; 5:2-5a

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D., Editor of Advance

The vision of a world of peace, with the nations beating their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks, seems in these days as remote as the days when Micah uttered his prophecy.

But it is precisely because the world is at war that this vision is important. It is a long way to look back to the days of this prophet of ancient Israel, the man who saw the vision of a warless world and of a Prince of Peace judging righteous by the nations; and it seems a long way to look forward to the realization of any such dream as this when we think of the international hatreds and jealousies and the bitter states that are manifest in the world today.

Nevertheless, years are slight in the great march of eternity, and time is not long in the accomplishment of God's purposes. With God, a day is as a thousand years and a thousand years as a day; and though the accomplishment of this vision of peace still seems far remote, even in a war-stricken world we are not without signs of hope and promises that the fulfillment will come.

There is hope here on our own American continent. There was a time when, along the borders that have now been peaceful for over one hundred years, men were at war in the bitterest enmity. Recent novels and

She slipped out of her coat. "That isn't the half of it, Steve. Oooh, wait'll my turn comes again!"

She told him what had happened. Steve Hansen spraddled a chair and grinned up at her.

"Honey, where's your sense of humor?"

"Sense of humor!" she almost screamed. "Do you see anything funny in that?"

He nodded gravely. "I do," he said. "Look, Val, don't you know he's just been itching to pull a fast one of some kind on you?"

Steve pulled her on the back. "Better get into some dry clothes . . . and see if you can work up a smile of some sort by the time they get back."

She looked at herself in the mirror when Hansen had left, and her face slowly broke into a grin.

"You're right, Stevie," she said softly to herself. "I think I'll shock Mr. Cavellier with my sweet nature when he returns."

She changed back into slacks and moccasins and rejoined Hansen on deck.

"We're talking on about three tons of salmon," he told her, nodding to the crates which were being swung aboard the ship. "Rest of the hold will be filled with Halliday lumber. We ought to be able to up anchor sometime tomorrow morning."

"The fight's next Thursday, you know," she reminded him. "That gives us five good days to get back to Frisco."

"We'll do it in four," he promised.

EDDIE and Pop got back just in time to take a shower and rubdown before evening mess. Pop's face was beet-red and he was breathing heavily. Eddie's face was covered with perspiration. They had jogged all the way through town instead of taking a cab down to the waterfront.

Muscles get stiff and sore when they cool off too suddenly and Pop wasn't taking any chances.

Eddie shaved and got into some fresh clothes. Val flashed him a big smile. "And where were you when the rains came?" she inquired sweetly.

"High and dry in a barn down the road," he replied easily. "But rumor has it you weren't so fortunate. Too bad." He made a sympathetic, clicking noise with his tongue.

"I can see you're breaking down with grief. You know, you're one lucky guy that I have a sense of humor. I was all set to put the curse of the Clan Douglas on you, but I remembered," she said gravely. "I remembered it."

moving pictures have vividly told the story of these terrible conflicts in which Indian and white man, Briton and Frenchman, American and Briton, fought with the utmost savagery, and in which enemy perpetrated upon enemy the most cruel and horrible torture. Yet, today, we live in a land of peace, and along this border where once horror and terror prevailed now men and governments live side by side in peace and mutual respect.

Is it impossible to believe that such a thing may come in other parts of the world?—that men may yet turn from their unproductive and wasteful strife to ways of life and mutual helpfulness? Is it too much to expect that men will turn from ways of brutishness, and that they will see the folly of their mutual destructiveness, and how much better it would be if both men and nations would follow the policy of living and letting live?

Yet, what hope is there of ever achieving this until there is a new heart in men and a new soul in nations? The new peace in the world, the new love of life, and the new way of life, are not going to come just by chance. They are going to come only as men turn from ways of evil and ways of greed and righteousness to the ways of right.

It was Micah who spoke of religion as consisting in loving mercy and in doing justice. Micah saw this new world of peace as a world of regard for law and right. He saw the Lord's house established on the top of the mountains and the nations coming to that house in reverence and devotion. What a world it would be if the nations could attain that vision and could come to the Mount of the Lord!

"Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven."

wouldn't do for you to fool around with jacks and tires and stuff. Might smash a finger or tear a ligament by accident, and then where would you be?"

He glanced sideways at her and decided he didn't like the way she was offering his excuses or framing his own alibis for him. Nope, he didn't like the way she was taking it.

"By the way," she continued. "How'd you feel this afternoon? How far did you run? How's your wind and all that sort of thing? I might as well file a couple of hundred words on your first land excursion."

"Oh, fine. Swell. Tip-top. Want any more adjectives or will those do?"

"They'll do," she murmured. "Anyway, I get the general impression. You'll murder the burn—unquote."

DUSK was settling over the waterfront when a silver-winged monoplane droned out of the south. Steve Hansen, puffing meditatively on his pipe, watched it come.

"Don't see many of those things up this way," he observed.

Eddie, squinting at the ship closely, saw it slant down toward the bay.

"Hey, it's a seaplane and it's setting right down there in the harbor."

"Nothin' to get excited about, I don't suppose."

"Seaplanes don't set down at Prince Rupert every day, you know."

"Mebbe he lost his way."

It was Duffy Kelso, wandering off into town by himself, who discovered that the occupants of the plane hadn't lost their way. Duffy was addressing a picture postcard in the hotel lobby when someone slapped him on the back.

"Hi, Duffy!"

It was a robust, enthusiastic sort of slap and Duffy almost caved. He whirled around. His eyes popped.

"Kenny Bradley! Hey—who—what th'—"

Ken Bradley, boxing writer for the San Francisco Express, grinned widely as he introduced the man with him.

"Duffy, meet Bob Monroe of the Post. He and I have a slight bit of business to talk over with you—where no one will see us," he added.

Duffy frowned. "Sure . . . sure. I know where there's a little place. But what brings you guys here?"

"A dame by the name of Val Douglas, to put it mildly," Kenny said. "Come on, let's go."

(To Be Continued)

CHURCH NEWS

UNITY MISSIONARY BAPTIST

511 South Elm Street Elder J. H. Reaves, Pastor

Sunday school 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. B.Y.P.T.C. 7 p. m. Preaching 8 p. m. Singing 7:30 p. m. Tuesday Ladies Auxiliary 3 p. m. Tuesday Prayer service 7:30 p. m. Thursday Come and worship with us at all services, you will receive a real welcome and a blessing.

Our revival meeting begins the second Sunday in May. Elder Wesley Thompson will bring the messages in the revival. Bro. Thomasson is one of the strongest preachers in Union Association. He is also the Moderator of the association. A real preacher of God's word. Prepare to come and hear him.

FIRST METHODIST

Kenneth L. Spore, Pastor

The Rev. C. E. Holmes, pastor of the First Methodist church, Prescott, will be the preacher at the morning service, at the Methodist church, Sunday. The Rev. Mr. Holmes is one of the leading pastors in the conference. All who attend this service will, doubtless, receive a helpful message. He is prominent in conference activity, being secretary of the Little Rock Conference Board of Missions and Church Extension, and has been nominated by this conference for membership on the Board of Missions and Church Extension of the South Central Jurisdiction of the Methodist Church. He

Better Homes Week Will Be Observed

Programs Will Be Held in Various Places in County

National Better Homes Week will be observed April 23rd through May 1st. Every community is on the program this year. Miss Ella Posey, district home demonstration agent, is the state's Better Homes chairman. Miss Mary Claude Fletcher, home demonstration agent, is the Hempstead county chairman. The co-chairman, Miss E. E. Turner, county county agent, is in charge of the 33 home demonstration clubs in the county. A Better Homes leader and chairman.

These leaders this year will carry on their own community Better Homes program by having a community tour and a community Better Homes program which will take place at community centers, churches, schools, etc. The county judge, the mayor, teachers, preachers, and all civic organizations ask to participate and sponsor the Better Homes program in cooperation with the pilgrimage sponsored by the county on May 1st.

The county Council of Home Demonstration clubs will have a county wide flower exhibit at the City Hall. Anyone in the county can participate in this flower exhibit. All civic organizations and any individual.

This flower exhibit will consist of any type of cut flowers cultivated or wild, potted plants, novelty collections of plants. A special exhibit—The Hope Garden club will have a special display. Mr. J. B. Youmans of the Garland, Gardens will have an exhibit of iris and other cut flowers. The florist are asked to participate with special exhibits. All exhibits must be checked in to the committee at the City Hall on May 1st by 10:00 a. m. and exhibits will stay in place until May 2nd at 4:00 p. m. Committee in charge at the city hall is: Mrs. Henry Pickard, Rocky Mount; Mrs. Carroll Schooley, Allen; Mrs. Lee H. Garland, Allen; Mrs. Ruffin White, Allen; Mrs. John Walcott, Potosi; Mrs. Bert Keith, Potosi; Mrs. Nathan Rider, Potosi; Mrs. O. K. Osborne, Ozark; Mrs. John La-ha, Mt. Nebo; Mrs. Berlin Jones, Hinton; Mrs. H. B. Sanford, Shover; Mrs. C. F. Lane, Liberty Hill; Mrs. O. B. Hodnett, Hopewell; and Miss Vonelle Black, McCaskill.

The Better Homes program in the communities will be observed April 23rd through May 1st. We are asking the cooperation of all the preachers to participate with a Better Homes sermon on April 23rd.

"Upside Down Girl" Reveals Secret Marriage



Ailyce Jane McHenry, Omaha, Neb., left, the girl known for her upside down stomach in 1935; revealed her secret marriage to William Kern Byle. The couple, shown above, said while visiting in Chicago that they eloped to St. Charles, Mo., March 23.

Bruce Catton Says:

By BRUCE CATTON
NEA Washington Correspondent

Denmark Coup Jolts Refugee Aid Movement

WASHINGTON — Germany's invasion of Denmark has had one tragic effect which has gone unnoticed in the press of greater news. It has wrecked one of the most active and promising movements for the relief of Jewish refugees, has thrown a huge number of them back into the hands of the Nazis.

The relief work was being done by the Danish section of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom. The league is unusually strong in Denmark—has more members there than in the United States. In fact, and it has taken thousands of Jewish refugees under its wing.

A big co-operative association had been formed. New industries were started, whole villages taken over. Jews who had lived in cities all their lives were learning how to be farmers on land bought by the co-op.

Suddenness of the invasion gave officers of the movement no time to destroy their files, with the result that the whole business has fallen into Nazi hands. Word here is that many of the Jews are already on the way to concentration camps. U. S. officials of the league are trying so far, in vain—to find out what happened to leaders of the Danish movement.

U. S. Peace Groups Alarmed By Events

The whole Scandinavian invasion hit the organized peace groups in Washington like a bolt of lightning, raising new fears of American involvement. An emergency meeting of the National Peace Conference was immediately called, to be followed by a meeting of the so-called pacifist bloc of the conference, the Keep America Out of War Committee.

One peace leader who refuses to

April Is Month of Cancer Control

Thousands of Americans Have Been Cured

President Roosevelt and Congress have set aside April as Cancer Control Month. Here is a story about the Cured Cancer Club, a unique organization that is doing a great deal to regulate and prevent the disease.

By DR. C. C. LITTLE
Managing Director, The American Society For The Control of Cancer

Written for the AP Feature Service

Twenty years ago a woman physician in Massachusetts was ordered upon for cancer of the breast. Today the same physician, Dr. Anne C. Palmer, now eighty-three years old, is the alert and crusading president of one of the most unusual organizations in the world. The Cured Cancer Club of the American Society for the Control of Cancer.

The club was formed two years ago, with Dr. Palmer as its organizer. "Its purpose," she says, "is to break down the barriers of silence and fear that prevent men and women from learning about cancer. If those of us who from our own experience know that cancer is curable, will talk about it as informally as we would of a broken arm, there will be a change in popular feeling. Our silence leaves the subject surrounded by terror and superstition and prevents the spread of knowledge that could save thousands of lives."

"Authorities agree that there are approximately 450,000 men, women and children in the United States today with cancer. Each year upwards of 150,000 of them die of it. Between one-third and one-half of these could and should be saved by early diagnosis and prompt, proper treatment."

From her small farm house in Milton, Mass., Dr. Palmer carries on a voluminous correspondence with those who write her from all parts of the U. S., asking questions that men and women are worrying about more today than ever before—questions such as "Is cancer curable?" and "What shall I do if I think I have cancer?"

Occasionally Dr. Palmer refers the letters to the American Society for the Control of Cancer at 350 Madison Avenue, New York. But most of them she answers herself in careful, strong long-hand.

Collect Case Notes

No one knows just how many people who have been cured of cancer are alive today. The American College of Surgeons, long one of the leaders in the fight against this disease, has records in its files of 30,000 individuals who have had cancer, have been treated by x-rays, radium and surgery, and now, five or more years after their treatment, are entirely free of the disease. Dr. Frank E. Adair, chairman of the committee on cancer of the American College of Surgeons, recently issued an appeal to member doctors to send their records in for filing. He believes that there are at least 100,000 men and women who have been cured of cancer and are now in good health.

The Cured Cancer Club is growing slowly but steadily. Anyone may join who is certified by a recognized physician as having had the disease, been treated for it, and after five years, is free of any recurrence. There are no dues or expense of any sort. However, those who join must be willing to be known publicly as cured-cancer patients.

Veteran Turns Teacher

One veteran of the fight against this disease is Charles Griffith Moses, a New York City real estate broker, who years ago was cured of cancer of the larynx. After his operation it was necessary for him to learn to use an artificial larynx, or mechanical voice box. He has become so adept in handling this aid to speech that he has taken up, as a hobby, teaching others how to master it. In recent years he has taught nearly a hundred men and women.

A woman member of the club, Mrs. Lora Valdon of Rhode Island, a former circus performer, has been of great aid to the Women's Field Army of the American Society for the Control of Cancer in its educational program in Rhode Island.

Other members of the Cured Cancer Club are Mrs. G. A. Douglas, a housewife of Greenwich, Conn.; Mrs. Winifred L. Fisher, a voice teacher of Sacramento, Calif.; John R. Leckie, a woodsman of Benedict, Minn.; Alonzo Gore Oakley, vice-president of an insurance company in New York City; Mrs. Ella K. Sizer of Akron, Ohio; Miss Rosalind Winslow, a writer of Woodstock, N. Y.; and Miss Agnes C. Wood, a stenographer of Milwaukee, Wis.

As cancer is the most democratic of all diseases, striking men and wo-

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FRED A. LUCK

Twins Act Alike Despite 20-Year Separation



Lois, left, and Louise Bailey, above, students at Baylor University, Waco, Texas, are described by scientists as being so nearly alike that only experts can tell them apart. Although the twins were separated eight days after birth have lived apart almost 20 years their actions are precisely the same.

Annual Audit of City Is Underway

McDuffie, Stewart & Co., Begin Work On Records

McDuffie, Stewart & Co., certified public accountants of Little Rock, have begun the annual audit of records of the city government.

The audit will include both the records of the city government and the municipal-owned water and light plant.

A report of the audit will be submitted to the city council by the middle of May, a member of the firm said Friday.

County Singers to Meet at Mt. Nebo

Annual Convention to Be Held Sunday, April 21

The Hempstead County Singing Convention will meet at Mt. Nebo church, three miles south of Potosi, Sunday, April 21, it was announced Friday by Clifford Franks, president of the association.

"We have invited several outstanding directors and quartets to attend this session, and we are expecting it to be one of the best singings of the season."

"We invite all Hempstead county singers to be with us," Mr. Franks concluded.

Bob Bailey Has a Plan for Refunding

Refuses, However, to Reveal Details of Scheme

LITTLE ROCK — (P) — Lieutenant Governor Bob Bailey, acting as chief executive in the absence of Governor Carl E. Bailey, announced Thursday he had worked out a new plan to refund Arkansas' \$138,000,000 highway debt.

Declining to reveal details of the proposal which he said "will work," the acting governor said he would explain it in an address at a rural mail carriers convention at Charleston, Franklin county, next Thursday.

He remarked that he favored issuance of callable bonds with a ceiling on interest rates, two points on which he opposed Governor Bailey during last summer's special legislative session. The governor's plan, passed at that session, has been referred to the people for vote at the November general election.

The lieutenant governor reiterated a previous statement that he would be a candidate for "some state office" this year and with other constitutional officers obtained blank corrupt practices pledge from the secretary of state. He has been mentioned as a possible candidate for governor, lieutenant governor and attorney general.

The earth weighs 5,885,516,000,000,000,000 tons.

men of every class and walk of life. It is not surprising that the membership of the club is composed of rich and poor, humble and powerful.

Many Don't Understand

Dr. Palmer's correspondence reveals that a great many people do not know that cancer is ever curable. The fact is that in its early stages, this disease, second only to heart trouble as a cause of death, is one of the most curable of all serious threats to life. There are three cures: Surgery or x-rays or radium, used individually or in combination.

Another problem that faces men and women is what to do if cancer is suspected.

Dr. Palmer's answer, and the answer given by all organizations is to go at once to a recognized physician or clinic. Lack of funds should not deter anyone from seeking medical help. Reputable physicians always take into account the financial ability of their patients.

Allies Agree to Buy 1500 Planes

Head of Purchasing Missions Confirm Reports

WASHINGTON — (P) — Great Britain and France contracted tentatively Thursday to purchase more than 1500 speedy American warplanes expected to cost at least \$120,000,000.

Reports of large scale buying were confirmed by Arthur B. Purvis, head of the Anglo-French purchasing mission, who said "huge quantities" were involved. Although he mentioned no figures, aviation experts in close touch with the negotiations said at least 1500 planes were covered by the tentative contracts.

Described as 'probably the largest such purchases on record' they are the first of a series of projected orders for some 4600 aircraft of the latest type developed for the United States army and navy.

The initial contracts were for Curtiss fighting planes and for Douglas attack bombers, which congress has been told were superior to any that have seen action thus far in the European war.

Purvis also said the allies were about to sign contracts in New York for an unidentified third type.

The allied chairman indicated after a conference at the treasury with Secretary Morgenthau that the large orders for at least two other models were imminent. Aside from the Curtiss and Douglas, which he said were signed in New York, he mentioned a Lockheed P-38, two-motor pursuit plane, a Bell single motor P-39 pursuit craft and a Lockheed-Hudson light bomber as figuring in current negotiations.

The first contracts conformed to a revised policy by which the war and navy departments agreed to release their most advanced models for export sale and delay some of their own deliveries in return for various concessions by the foreign buyers.

Mr. Warner, who has followed the development of the freezer locker plants in the western and midwestern states, and has assisted in the establishment of curing plants in Arkansas, will discuss the contribution of freezer locker in maintaining high quality in meat.

Mr. Warner's experience in the meats laboratory at the Beltsville experimental station in Maryland, according to extension agents, has qualified him to talk authoritatively on this subject.

His visit to the state is particularly timely since five freezer locker plants are already providing the service of storing fresh meats, fruits and vegetables, and plans are rapidly developing for the establishment of other plants.

A. W. Stubbeman, manager of the newly established freezer locker plant on East Third street, has extended those attending the meeting an invitation to inspect his establishment under the direction of Mr. Warner.

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\$104,200 Suit Filed Against Dr. Brinkley

LITTLE ROCK — (P) — Charles F. Allen, administrator for the estate of Oliver S. McKibben, deceased independent Kan. oil field worker, filed suit for \$104,200 Thursday in United States district court here against Dr. John R. Brinkley, of Del Rio, Texas, and Little Rock, and associates.

The suit charged that McKibben, 57, died November 11, 1933, of peritonitis after undergoing an operation at the Brinkley hospital in Saline county, near here, October 30, 1933.

The action asked \$18,000 for McKibben's daughter and son, \$10,000 exemplary damages on their behalf, \$51,200 on behalf of McKibben's estate and \$25,000 punitive damages.

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Fred A. Luck

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excavation for the company, and a greater part of the work when the streets of Hope were paved, served as assistant district supervisor under Major R. B. Stanford during the entire C. W. A. program.

Knowing as I do that the building, and maintenance of roads, and bridges are of vast importance to the people of Hempstead County, I merely give you this explanation of my experience in this kind of work, which I contend is one of the best qualifications that a county judge can have. I know that the citizens of Hempstead County are vitally interested in the many hundreds of miles of roads, and bridges, and culverts of their county. I know this work from bottom to top, and I am thoroughly convinced that this first hand information which experience has taught me over a long period of years can be of much benefit to the citizens of the county.

I am strongly in favor of cooperation with the federal forces in bringing to Hempstead county all of the assistance possible for the development of the county, in every capacity, especially the roads and bridges.

County Judge

The county judge of Hempstead county naturally is required to conduct different forms of court; in this I shall take special interest and promise to give my very close attention. He is the custodian of the funds of the county, he should be sound financially, careful with the expenditures of public funds, and feel a personal responsibility for the property of the county. I promise you that I will attend to these with courtesy and discretion, if I am elected your county judge; and that I will guard at all times the tax payers dollars, and I pledge you that if elected I shall do everything within my power to render you a fair and impartial service to all sections of the county in a fearless manner.

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